

REMARKS

No claims have been amended by this response or by Applicants' response mailed December 9, 2005. However, Applicants are providing a complete claim listing herewith in response to the office action of March 1, 2005. This response contains no new matter.

Also enclosed herewith is (1) Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b), (2) a copy of Assignee's power of attorney to prosecute applications before the USPTO, and (3) a Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection Over a "Prior" Patent. The enclosed Terminal Disclaimer is intended to replace the Terminal Disclaimer filed on December 9, 2004.

In view of the above, Applicants submit that the claims remaining in the application are in condition for allowance and allowance of the claims at an early date is solicited.

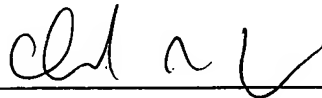
Applicants are enclosing a check for \$130.00 for the statutory disclaimer fee. Applicants believe no additional fee is due. If this belief is in error, the commissioner is permitted to charge any required extension and/or fee or credit any overpayment to deposit account No. 03-4075 (Attorney Docket No. SST/1367).

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Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: Statement Under 37 CFR § 3.73(b);
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